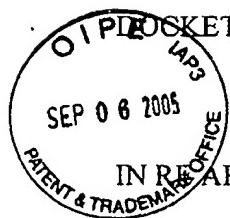


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SYSTEM, COMPUTER  
PROGRAM PRODUCT AND  
METHOD FOR MANAGING  
PERIPHERAL DEVICES  
CONNECTED TO A NETWORK

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.